

BOSTON METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

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Transportation Improvement Program Contact Re:

Dear Chairman Foster:

The Boston Region Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) is updating its list of Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) contacts. Dave Abbt is identified as the current TIP contact designated for the Town of Acton.

TIP project information forms will be sent to your TIP contact at the end of January and will be due back 30 days later. These forms enable the MPO to update information and evaluate each project using the MPO's TIP criteria. Much of the information on the forms will already be filled out by MPO staff. However, your community needs to review and comment on these forms and add information as warranted. Failure to submit these forms may result in your project not being considered for programming.

The attached sheet lists projects located in your community. Please indicate the projects for which the MPO should send project information forms. Also, please confirm or update our information on your TIP contact and complete the attached form by January 7, 2003.

For your information, the MPO is planning to hold a TIP Project Input Day next Spring. This meeting, which you will receive notice of in late winter, will allow interested communities to inform the Transportation Planning and Programming Committee about their priority projects before the development of the FY 2005-2009 TIP, as well as any amendments to the existing TIP.

If you have any further questions, please contact the TIP Coordinator, Jonathan Church (ichurch@ctps.org; 617.973.7097).

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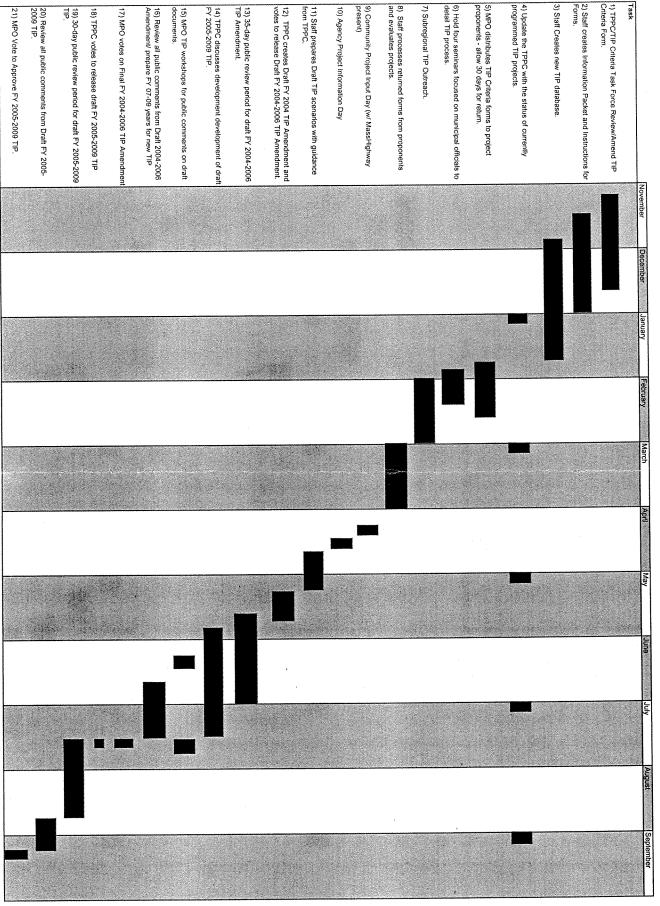
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Dennis DiZoglio Transportation Planning and **Programming Committee**

Sincerely.

Barbara Lucas, Vice Chair Transportation Planning and **Programming Committee**

Dave Abbt, TIP Contact Cc: Don Johnson, Town Manager



TIP Contact and Project Information Response from the Town of Acton

TIP Contact: Dave Abbt Position: Town Engineer

Address: 472 Main St., Acton MA 01720 Email: engineering@town.acton.ma.us

Telephone:

Please indicate the Project Information Forms you would like to receive for consideration in the FY 2004 TIP amendment and FY 2005-2009 TIP.

ROUTE 2: Reconstruct Route 2 from Route 111 to Sudbury Road MHD PROJIS ID: 96902

BRUCE FREEMAN TRAIL: Design and construct Bruce Freeman Trail Phase 2

(V) Other: ASSABET RIVER RAIL TRAIL

Signature of Chief Elected Official

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